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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Forest Service

Southwest Washington Provincial Advisory Committee Meeting Notice

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The Southwest Washington Provincial Advisory Committee will meet on November 8, 1995, in Stevenson, Washington, at a location yet to be determined. The meeting will begin at 9 a.m. and continue until 4:30 p.m.

Meeting purpose is to continue building measures of province health for the Cowlitz, Lewis, Wind River, and White Salmon Basins. The Advisory Committee will apply this information in advising Federal land managers on implementing the President's Northwest Forest Plan. Agenda items to be covered include: (1) Social and Economic Measures of Basin Health, (2) Province Health Assessment Model and Advisory Committee Work, (3) Forest Watershed Analysis Priorities, (4) Forest Monitoring Program, and (5) Public Open Forum.

All Southwest Washington Provincial Advisory Committee meetings are open to the public. Interested citizens are encouraged to attend. The "open forum" provides opportunity for the public to bring issues, concerns, and discussion topics to the Advisory Committee. The "open forum" is scheduled near the conclusion of this meeting. Interested speakers will need to register prior to the open forum period. The committee welcomes the public's written comments on committee business at any time.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Direct questions regarding this meeting to Mark Maggiora, Public Affairs, at (360) 750-5007, or write Forest Headquarters Office, Gifford Pinchot National Forest, 6926 E. Fourth Plain

Blvd., P.O. Box 8944, Vancouver, WA 98668-8944.

Dated: October 13, 1995.

J. Sharon Heywood,

Deputy Forest Supervisor.

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COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS

Agenda and Notice of Public Meeting of the New Mexico Advisory Committee

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of the rules and regulations of the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, that a meeting of the New Mexico Advisory Committee to the Commission will convene at 1 p.m. and adjourn at 4 p.m. on Friday, November 3, 1995, at the Hyatt Regency Hotel, 330 Tijeras, N.W., Albuquerque, New Mexico 87102. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss civil rights issues in New Mexico.

Persons desiring additional information, or planning a presentation to the Committee, should contact Committee Chairperson Lynda Eaton, 505-326-4338, or Thomas V. Pilla, Acting Director of the Western Regional Office, 213-894-3437 (TDD 213-894-0508). Hearing-impaired persons who will attend the meeting and require the services of a sign language interpreter should contact the Regional Office at least five (5) working days before the scheduled date of the meeting.

The meeting will be conducted pursuant to the provisions of the rules and regulations of the Commission.

Dated at Washington, DC, October 16, 1995.

Carol-Lee Hurley,

Chief, Regional Programs Coordination Unit.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA), Article 1904 Binational Panel Reviews: Notice of Withdrawal of Panel Request

AGENCY: NAFTA Secretariat, United States Section, International Trade

Administration, Department of Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of withdrawal of panel request.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given of the Withdrawal of the Request for Panel Review of the final redetermination made by the Deputy Minister of National Revenue, Customs, Excise and Taxation, respecting Machine Tufted Carpeting Originating in or Exported from the United States of America (Secretariat File No. CDA-95-1904-03). As of September 19, 1995, no Complaints were filed pursuant to Rule 39 of the *Rules of Procedure for Article 1904 Binational Panel Review*, no Notices of Appearance were filed pursuant to Rule 40 and no panel has been appointed. Thus there are no "participants" in this review as defined in Rule 3, therefore, this panel review is terminated.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: James R. Holbein, United States Secretary, NAFTA Secretariat, Suite 2061, 14th and Constitution Avenue, Washington, DC 20230, (202) 482-5438.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Chapter 19 of the North American Free-Trade Agreement ("Agreement") establishes a mechanism to replace domestic judicial review of final determinations in antidumping and countervailing duty cases involving imports from a NAFTA country with review by independent binational panels. When a Request for Panel Review is filed, a panel is established to act in place of national courts to review expeditiously the final determination to determine whether it conforms with the antidumping or countervailing duty law of the country that made the determination.

Under Article 1904 of the Agreement, which came into force on January 1, 1994, the Government of the United States, the Government of Canada and the Government of Mexico established *Rules of Procedure for Article 1904 Binational Panel Review* ("Rules"). These Rules were published in the Federal Register on February 23, 1994 (59 FR 8686).

Dated: October 13, 1995.

Caratina L. Alston,

United States Deputy Secretary, NAFTA Secretariat.

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Notice of Scope Rulings

AGENCY: Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of scope rulings and anticircumvention inquiries.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce (the Department) hereby publishes a list of scope rulings and anticircumvention inquiries completed between July 1, 1995, and September 30, 1995. In conjunction with this list, the Department is also publishing a list of pending requests for scope clarifications and anticircumvention inquiries. The Department intends to publish future

lists within 30 days of the end of each quarter.

EFFECTIVE DATE: October 20, 1995.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ronald M. Trentham, Office of Antidumping Compliance, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, D.C. 20230; telephone: (202) 482-4793.

Background

The Department's regulations (19 CFR 353.29(d)(8) and 355.29(d)(8)) provide that on a quarterly basis the Secretary will publish in the Federal Register a list of scope rulings completed within the last three months.

This notice lists scope rulings and anticircumvention inquiries completed between July 1, 1995, and September 30, 1995, and pending scope clarification and anticircumvention inquiry requests. The Department intends to publish in January 1996 a notice of scope rulings and anticircumvention inquiries completed between October 1, 1995, and December 31, 1995, as well as pending scope clarification and anticircumvention inquiry requests.

The following lists provide the country, case reference number, requester(s), and a brief description of either the ruling or product subject to the request.

I. Scope Rulings Completed Between July 1, 1995, and September 30, 1995

Country	Sweden.
A-401-040	<i>Stainless Steel Plate.</i> Armco, Inc., G.O. Carlson, Allegheny Ludlum Corp., and Washington Steel Corp.—Stavax, Ramax, and 904 L when flat rolled are within the scope of the order. 7/11/95.
Country	Italy.
A-475-401	<i>Certain Brass Fire Protection Products.</i> Giacomini, S.p.A.—Pressure control (or regulating valves), models A201, A202, and A204 and leader line siamese valve model A99 are outside the scope of the order. 7/28/95.
Country	People's Republic of China.
A-570-502	<i>Iron Construction Castings.</i> Jack's International Trading Associates, Ltd.—Cast iron, floor area drains (area drains) imported by Jack's are outside the scope of the order. 8/28/95.
A-570-504	<i>Petroleum Wax Candles.</i> Concept Marketing—Concept's Safe-2-Lite candle is outside the scope of the order. 9/28/95.
Country	Taiwan.
A-583-508	<i>Porcelain-on-Steel Cookware.</i> Blair Corporation—Blair cooking ware items #1101 (seven piece cookware set), #271911 (eight-quart stock pot), and #271921 (twelve-quart stock pot) are outside the scope of the order. 8/18/95.
A-583-816	<i>Certain Stainless Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings.</i> Top Line Process Equipment Corporation—Top Line's stainless steel tube fittings with non-welded end connections, and other products, are outside the scope of the order. 8/4/95.
Country	Japan.
A-588-405	<i>Cellular Mobile Telephones and Subassemblies.</i> Mitsubishi Electric Corporation, Mitsubishi Electronics America, Inc., and Mitsubishi Consumer Electronics America, Inc.—the Mitsubishi model MT1516FOR6A portable cellular telephone (PCT) is outside the scope of the order. 7/19/95. Mitsubishi Electric Corporation, Mitsubishi Electronics America, Inc., and Mitsubishi Consumer Electronics America, Inc.—the Mitsubishi MT1292FOR6A and MT1296FOR6A portable cellular telephones (PCTs) are outside the scope of the order. 9/28/95. Matsushita Communications Industrial Corporation of America and its related entities—the Matsushita EB-3570, EB-3571, EB-3572, and EB-3578 portable cellular telephones (PCTs) are outside the scope of the order. 9/28/95.
A-588-702	<i>Stainless-Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings.</i> Fujikin of America, Inc.—Certain gasket raised face seal sleeves and certain stainless steel "fine-fit" tube fittings imported by Fujikin are outside the scope of the order. 8/4/95.
A-588-802	<i>3½" Microdisks.</i> Minnesota Mining and Manufacturing Company (3M)—3M's 3.5 inch magneto-optical disk is outside the scope of the order. 8/24/95.
A-588-823	<i>Professional Electric Cutting Tools.</i> Makita, Inc., Makita U.S.A.—Makita's planer-jointer model 2030SC is outside the scope of the order. 7/19/95. Makita, Inc., Makita U.S.A.—Makita's chain morticer model 7104L is outside the scope of the order. 8/1/95. Makita, Inc., Makita U.S.A.—Makita's concrete planer model PC1100 is outside the scope of the order. 8/30/95.

II. Anticircumvention Rulings Completed Between July 1, 1995, and September 30, 1995: None.**III. Scope Inquiries Terminated Between July 1, 1995 and September 30, 1995.**

Country	People's Republic of China.
A-570-504	<i>Petroleum Wax Candles.</i> Boomster Imports Inc.—Clarification to determine whether Boomster's three-inch cube candle is within the scope of the order. Scope inquiry terminated on 7/6/95.
Country	Korea.
A-588-811	<i>Steel Wire Rope.</i>

TSK Korea and Hi-Lex Corp.—Clarification to determine whether certain motion control cables are within the scope of the order. Scope inquiry terminated on 7/14/95.

IV. Anticircumvention Inquiries Terminated Between July 1, 1995 and September 30, 1995: None.

V. Pending Scope Clarification Requests as of September 30, 1995:

Country	Canada.
A-122-823	<i>Certain Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate.</i> Sidbec-Dosco Inc., and Canberra Industries—Clarification to determine whether hot-rolled carbon steel plate containing little or no Cobalt 60 is within the scope of the order.
Country	Mexico.
A-201-802	<i>Gray Portland Cement and Cement Clinker.</i> Cementos de Chihuahua S.A. de C.V. and Mexcement, Inc.—Clarification to determine whether masonry cement is within the scope of the order.
A-201-805	<i>Circular Welded Non-Alloy Steel Pipe.</i> Allied Tube & Conduit Corp., American Tube Co., Century Tube Corp., CSI Tubular Productions, Inc., Laclede Steel Co., LTV Tubular Productions Co., Sawhill Tubular Division, Sharon Tube Co., Tex-Tube Division, Western Tube & Conduit Corp., Wheatland Tube Co.—Clarification to determine whether pipe produced to API 5L line pipe specifications or to both ASTM A-53 standard pipe specification and the API 5L line pipe specification (dual-certified pipe), when intended for use as standard pipe or when actually used as standard pipe, is within the scope of the order. Affirmative preliminary scope ruling issued on January 13, 1994.
	Tubacero International Corporation—Clarification to determine whether circular welded carbon steel piping, 16 inches in outside diameter with 3/8 inch wall thickness, for use in extremely heavy load bearing applications, is within the scope of the order.
Country	Venezuela.
A-307-805	<i>Circular Welded Non-Alloy Steel Pipe.</i> Self-initiation. Clarification to determine whether pipe produced to API 5L line pipe specifications or to both ASTM A-53 standard pipe specification and the API 5L line pipe specification (dual-certified pipe), when intended for use as standard pipe or when actually used as standard pipe, is within the scope of the order. Affirmative preliminary scope ruling issued on January 13, 1994.
Country	Brazil.
A-351-809	<i>Circular Welded Non-Alloy Steel Pipe.</i> Allied Tube & Conduit Corp., American Tube Co., Century Tube Corp., CSI Tubular Productions, Inc., Laclede Steel Co., LTV Tubular Productions Co., Sawhill Tubular Division, Sharon Tube Co., Tex-Tube Division, Western Tube & Conduit Corp., Wheatland Tube Co.—Clarification to determine whether pipe produced to API 5L line pipe specifications or to both ASTM A-53 standard pipe specification and the API 5L line pipe specification (dual-certified pipe), when intended for use as standard pipe or when actually used as standard pipe, is within the scope of the order. Affirmative preliminary scope ruling issued on January 13, 1994.
Country	Sweden.
A-401-040	<i>Stainless Steel Plate.</i> Armco, Inc., G.O. Carlson, Allegheny Ludlum Corp., and Washington Steel Corp.—Clarification to determine whether Stavax, Ramax, and 904L when forged are within the scope of the finding.
Country	France.
A-427-078	<i>Sugar.</i> Boiron-Borneman, Inc.—Clarification to determine whether manufactured homeopathic sugar pellets are within the scope of the finding.
Country	Germany.
A-428-801	<i>Antifriction Bearings (Other Than Tapered Roller Bearings) and Parts Thereof.</i> Marquardt Switches—Clarification to determine whether certain medium carbon steel balls are within the scope of the order.
Country	Turkey.
A-489-501	<i>Welded Carbon Steel Standard Pipe and Tube Products.</i> Allied Tube and Conduit Corporation, Wheatland Tube Company, Laclede Steel Company, Sharon Tube Company, and Sawhill Tubular Division of Armco, Inc.—Clarification to determine whether pipe and tube which meets the order's physical specifications, when intended for or actually used as standard pipe and tube, is included within the scope of the order.
Country	People's Republic of China.
A-570-504	<i>Petroleum Wax Candles.</i> Mervyn's—Clarification to determine whether a candle, article no. 20172, in the shape of a cube is within the scope of the order.
A-570-808	<i>Chrome-Plated Lug Nuts.</i> Consolidated International Automotive, Inc.—Clarification to determine whether certain nickel-plated lug nuts are within the scope of the order.
	Wheel Plus, Inc.—Clarification to determine whether imported zinc-plated lug nuts which are chrome-plated in the United States are within the scope of the order.
A-570-820	<i>Certain Compact Ductile Iron Waterworks (CDIW) Fittings and Glands.</i> Star Pipe Products, Inc.—Clarification to determine whether "retainer glands" are within the scope of the order.
Country	Korea.
A-580-809	<i>Circular Welded Non-Alloy Steel Pipe.</i> Allied Tube & Conduit Corp., American Tube Co., Century Tube Corp., CSI Tubular Productions, Inc., Laclede Steel Co., LTV Tubular Productions Co., Sawhill Tubular Division, Sharon Tube Co., Tex-Tube Division, Western Tube & Conduit Corp., Wheatland Tube Co.—Clarification to determine whether pipe produced to API 5L line pipe specifications or to both ASTM A-53 standard pipe specification and the API 5L line pipe specification (dual-certified pipe), when intended for use as standard pipe or when actually used as standard pipe, is within the scope of the order. Affirmative preliminary scope ruling issued on January 13, 1994.
Country	Taiwan.

A-583-810	<i>Chrome-Plated Lug Nuts.</i> Consolidated International Automotive, Inc.—Clarification to determine whether certain nickel-plated lug nuts are within the scope of the order.
Country	Japan.
A-588-029	<i>Fishnetting of Man Made Fiber.</i> Trans-Pacific Trading, Inc.—Clarification to determine whether salmon gill fish netting of man-made fibers are within the scope of the order.
A-588-405	<i>Cellular Mobile Telephones and Subassemblies.</i> TDK Corporation of America—Clarification to determine whether duplexers, voltage control oscillators, and isolators are within the scope of the order.
	Matsushita Communication Industrial Corporation of America and related entities—Clarification to determine whether Matsushita's EB-H70, EB-H705, EB-H7071, and EB-H7075 portable cellular telephones (PCTs) are within the scope of the order.
A-588-702	<i>Stainless Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings.</i> Daido Steel Co., Ltd.—Clarification to determine whether Primet joint metal seal fittings and Primet joint weld fittings produced by Daido are within the scope of the order.
	Benkan America, Inc. and Benkan UCT Corporation—Clarification to determine whether the sleeves of clean vacuum couplings (CVCs) and the super-clean microfittings (SCMs) manufactured by Benkan are within the scope of the order.
A-588-802	<i>3 1/2" Microdisks.</i> TDK Inc., TDK Electronics Co.—Clarification to determine whether certain web roll media are within the scope of the order.
A-588-804	<i>Antifriction Bearings (Other Than Tapered Roller Bearings), and Parts Thereof.</i> Dana Corporation—Clarification to determine whether an automotive component known variously as a center bracket assembly, center bearing assembly, support bracket, or shaft support bearing, is within the scope of the order.
A-588-809	<i>Small Business Telephone Systems and Subassemblies and Parts Thereof.</i> Iwatsu America, Inc. and Iwatsu Electric Co.—Clarification to determine whether certain dual use subassemblies (a caller ID trunk unit and a station interface circuit card) are within the scope of the order.
A-588-810	<i>Mechanical Transfer Presses.</i> Komatsu Ltd.—Clarification to determine whether certain mechanical transfer press parts exported from Japan are within the scope of the order.
A-588-815	<i>Gray Portland Cement and Clinker.</i> Surecrete, Inc.—Clarification to determine whether New Super Fine Cement manufactured by Nittetsu Cement Co., Ltd., is within the scope of the order.

VI. Pending Anticircumvention Inquiry Requests as of September 30, 1995:

Country	Germany.
A-428-811	<i>Hot-Rolled Lead and Bismuth Carbon Steel Products.</i> Inland Steel Bar Company and USS Kolbe Steel Company—Anticircumvention inquiry to determine whether a producer of steel in Germany is circumventing the antidumping duty order by shipping leaded steel billets to its wholly-owned subsidiary in the Netherlands, hot-rolling the billets into bars and rods, and then exporting them to the United States.
Country	Japan.
A-588-602	<i>Carbon Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings.</i> U.S. Fittings Group—Anticircumvention inquiry to determine whether a producer of carbon steel butt-weld pipe fittings in Japan is circumventing the antidumping duty order by shipping parts to Thailand for processing and importing the finished product into the United States. Negative preliminary determination of circumvention published 9/20/95.

Interested parties are invited to comment on the accuracy of the list of pending scope clarification requests. Any comments should be submitted to the Assistant Secretary for Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Room B-099, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20230.

Dated: October 13, 1995.

Joseph A. Spetrini,
Deputy Assistant Secretary for Compliance.
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National Institute of Standards and Technology

Announcement of a Meeting To Discuss an Opportunity To Join a Cooperative Research and Development Consortium for an Open Architecture Enhanced Machine Controller (EMC)

AGENCY: National Institute of Standards and Technology, Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of public meeting.

SUMMARY: The National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) invites interested parties to attend a meeting on December 1, 1995 to discuss the possibility of setting up a cooperative research consortium to reduce the life-cycle cost of machine tool controllers by developing public domain open system interface standards

which support component interoperability.

Any program undertaken will be within the scope and confines of The Federal Technology Transfer Act of 1986 (Pub. L. 99-502, 15 U.S.C. 3710a), which provides federal laboratories including NIST, with the authority to enter into cooperative research agreements with qualified parties. Under the law, NIST may provide "personnel, service, facilities, equipment or other resources with or without reimbursement (but not funds to non-federal parties)"—to the cooperative research program.

The meeting will be held on Friday December 1, 1995 at 8:30 a.m., Room 126, Building 304, at NIST in Gaithersburg, MD, for interested parties. The meeting will discuss the possible formation of a research consortium including NIST and manufacturing